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1. WE HAVE NOT HEARD NOR SEEN ANY EVIDENCE THA THE
POLISH GOVERNMENT IS USING EITHER CSCE OR ECPC TO
GAIN MORE MANEUVERING ROOM FROM THE USSR. THIS
WOULD NOT BE THE STYLE OF THE GIEREK REGIME WHICH
MUCH PREFERS TO GAIN ITS ADDITIONAL INCHES OF
FREEDOM OF ACTION IN A VERY QUIET MANNER,
FREQUENTLY SUPPORTING PRIVATELY THOSE EE
COUNTRIES WHIC ARE TESTING THE OUTER LIMITS
OF SOVIET PERMISSIVENESS.

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2. THE POLISH MEDIA HAVE BEEN VERY SPARING IN

COMMENTING ON ECPC RESULTS. TRYBUNA LUDU
CARRIED EXTENSIVE EXCERPTS FROM ECPC SPEAKERS
INCLUDING BERLINGUGER. KNOWLEDGEABLE POLES HAVE
EXPRESSED QUIET SATISFACTION TO US ABOUT THE ECPC
FINAL DOCUMENT. ONE JOURNALIST TOLD US RECENTLY
THAT THE FINAL DOCUMENT COULD BE USED EFFECTIVELY
BY A FUTURE POLISH GOVERNMENT AND THAT THE MERE FACT OF
ITS EXISTENCE IS HIGHLY IMPORTANT.
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